

# METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PREVENTING UNAUTHORIZED RECORDING OF MEDIA CONTENT ON A MACINTOSH OPERATING SYSTEM

## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

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A method for preventing unauthorized recording of media content on a  
Macintosh operating system. The present method registers a compliance mechanism on  
a client system having the Macintosh operating system operating thereon. The  
compliance mechanism comprises a framework for validating the compliance  
10 mechanism on the client system, and a multimedia component opened by the  
framework. The present method uses the multimedia component for decrypting the  
media content on the client system. The present method also prevents decryption of the  
media content on the client system having the Macintosh operating system operating  
thereon if a portion of the compliance mechanism is invalidated.

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